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Comment: I'd like to expand the functions I could handle during an emergency. By not having to

learn morse code at my age & with my learning disability I think I could easily qualify for a Ham License & help in the emergency net. I have a home generator & so I could

provide power for a ham station. My community was denied electricity &

communication for 10 days during the first hurricane that hit us last year & 5 days during the second. Being able to easily communicate by voice would have alleviated a

lot of anxious people. There are 365 homes in our community.